

North Dakota Petroleum Council
Good Neighbor Initiative Outreach Program
Contract No. G-016-34

This is a project submitted by the North Dakota Petroleum Council. Project duration is 24 months. The total project costs are \$133,000 with \$50,000 provided from the Oil and Gas Research Fund. This project will focus on engaging in a continuous dialog about the key issues relating to oil and gas development with neighbors, policy makers and the general public. The education and outreach efforts will strive towards adapting to the key interests of our neighbors, the policy makers and the general public while using a lessons learned approach as we construct the initiatives to meet desired objectives. It is anticipated that the program will have to be flexible, adapting as new issues, ideas and concerns occur. The Initiative will stress responsible development by industry that includes improving relationships and communications with our neighbors and a commitment to environmental protection.